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Park Authority Garners Two Communication Awards

The Fairfax County Park Authority collected two trophies from the National Association of Government Communicators 2005 Blue Pencil/Gold Screen Awards (NAGC), presented last week in Baltimore, MD.

Video Producer Mark Garrah won second place in the Event Videos category for a tribute to the agency's volunteers that is the highlight of the annual Elly Doyle Park Service Awards gala.

Daphne Hutchinson, manager of the Park Services Division, Production Services, followed up last year's first place in Writer's Portfolio with a second place in that category for a collection of articles from *Parktakes* and *Par for the Course*.

NAGC's 2005 competition drew 550 entries from local, state and federal agencies. The association focuses on the advancement of communications as an essential professional resource at every level of national, state and local government.

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